



Maryland Access Point ("MAP")

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC), known locally as Maryland Access Point (MAP), were established in 2003. MAPs are administered by the Maryland Department of Aging, in collaboration with the Maryland Departments of Health and Mental Hygiene, Disabilities, Human Resources and the Governor's Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. The ADRC initiative is sponsored by the federal Administration for Community Living, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and the Department of Veterans Affairs, and involves a national network operating in 54 states and territories.

MAP is the designated single entry point for individuals seeking long term Medicaid support services under Maryland's Balancing Incentive Program (BIP) the purpose of which is to create infrastructure and progress to shift the balance on long term services from institutional to community settings. BIP will result in an additional \$106 million in federal funding to support community based services. The MAP sites provide individual, in person counseling to individuals who are in nursing homes and who indicate a desire to move back to the community through the Money Follows the Person Program (MFP) and other state and federal referral programs.

Maryland has twenty MAP sites providing statewide direct telephone and in person assistance for consumers seeking information, referral and program support for long term services. In most cases, the Area Agency on Aging is the lead organization in the MAP structure. MAP partners include local health and social services departments, Centers for Independent Living, behavioral health agencies and other organizations through which people seek assistance.

The MAP program also provides an online, searchable resource directory to serve the public and professionals in identifying, connecting and accessing private and public resources: www.marylandaccesspoint.info. Individuals can use the website to directly find and contact service providers or they can find an appropriate agency in their local area to contact for counseling and assistance.

Over the next three years, MAP sites will be expanded to:

- serve both older adults and individuals with disabilities;
- provide Options Counseling a person-centered approach to assisting individuals in planning their long-term care needs;
- streamline eligibility determinations;
- increase access to lower cost community-based alternatives that can help avoid institutional care;
- simplify operational infrastructures at the State and local levels by creating clear paths to services and referrals; and,
- provide sustainable funding sources to local sites.

MAP Contacts:

www.adrc-tae.org (Federal ADRC website)

www.marylandaccesspoint.info (Maryland Access Point searchable website)

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Local Maryland Access Point Locations

Allegany

125 Virginia Avenue Cumberland, MD 21502 301-777-5970

Anne Arundel

2666 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401 410-222-4257

Baltimore City

417 East Fayette Street Baltimore, MD 21202 410-396-2273

Baltimore

611 Central Avenue Towson, MD 21204 410-887-2594

Calvert

450 West Dares Beach Road Prince Frederick, MD 20678 410-535-4606 Caroline, Kent, Talbot

100 Schauber Road Chestertown, MD 21620 410-778-6000

Carroll

125 Stoner Avenue Westminster, MD 21157 410-386-3800

Cecil

200 Chesapeake Boulevard, Suite 2550 Elkton, MD 21921 410-996-5294

Charles

8190 Port Tobacco Road Port Tobacco, MD 20677 301-609-5712

Dorchester, Somerset, Wicomico

909 Progress Circle Salisbury, MD 21804 410-742-0505, ex 109 Frederick

1440 Taney Avenue Frederick, MD 21702 301-600-1605

Garrett

104 East Center Street Oakland, MD 21550 301-334-9431

Harford

145 North Hickory Avenue Bel Air, MD 21014 410-638-3025

Howard

6751 Columbia Gateway Drive, 2nd Floor Columbia, MD 21046 410-313-5980

Montgomery

401 Hungerford Drive, 3rd Floor Rockville, MD 20850 240-777-3000 Prince George's

6420 Allentown Road Camp Springs, MD 20748 301-265-8450

Queen Anne's

104 Powell Street Centerville, MD 21617 410-758-0848

St. Mary's

41780 Baldridge Street Leonardtown, MD 20650 301-475-4200

Washington

140 W. Franklin Street, 4th Floor Hagerstown, MD 21740 301-790-0275

Worcester

4767 Snow Hill Road Snow Hill, MD 21863 410-632-1277

MAP, CIL and Disability Partners Locations

